

Appendix 3Y

Change of Director's Interest Notice

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| Name of entity | AUSTRALIAN OIL COMPANY LIMITED |
| ABN | 83 114 061 433 |

We (the entity) give ASX the following information under listing rule 3.19A.2 and as agent for the director for the purposes of section 205G of the Corporations Act.

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| Name of Director | ANDREW CHILDS |
| Date of last notice | 18 November 2011 (APPENDIX 3Y) |

Part 1 - Change of director's relevant interests in securities

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (i) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

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| Direct or indirect interest | Direct & Indirect |
| Nature of indirect interest (including registered holder) <small>Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.</small> | International Recruitment Services P/L – Shareholder Brazell Pty Ltd (A&M Superfund a/c) – Director/beneficiary M Childs |
| Date of change | 31 December 2011 |
| No. of securities held prior to change | Direct 1,306,669 Ordinary shares 1,272,500 Options (listed) 1,000,000 Options (unlisted) Indirect 2,783,334 Ordinary shares 10,000 Options |
| Class | Ordinary shares |
| Number acquired | Nil |
| Number disposed | Nil disposed 1,272,500 listed Options expired |
| Value/Consideration <small>Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and estimated valuation</small> | Nil |

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| No. of securities held after change | Direct 1,306,669 Ordinary shares 1,000,000 Options (unlisted) Indirect 2,783,334 Ordinary shares 10,000 Options |
| Nature of change Example: on-market trade, off-market trade, exercise of options, issue of securities under dividend reinvestment plan, participation in buy-back | Expiry of listed Options |

Part 2 – Change of director's interests in contracts

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (ii) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

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| Detail of contract | N/A |
| Nature of interest | |
| Name of registered holder (if issued securities) | |
| Date of change | |
| No. and class of securities to which interest related prior to change Note: Details are only required for a contract in relation to which the interest has changed | |
| Interest acquired | |
| Interest disposed | |
| Value/Consideration Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and an estimated valuation | |
| Interest after change | |

Part 3 – +Closed period

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| Were the interests in the securities or contracts detailed above traded during a +closed period where prior written clearance was required? | No |
| If so, was prior written clearance provided to allow the trade to proceed during this period? | N/A |
| If prior written clearance was provided, on what date was this provided? | N/A |

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